

Program Organizations

Section 1 - General

All organizations of the church shall be under church control, all officers being elected annually by the church and reporting regularly to the church. It is understood that the pastor/administrator is an ex-officio officer of all the organizations named, and his leadership is to be recognized in them.

Section 2 - Sunday School/Bible Studies

There shall be a Sunday School, divided into departments and classes for all ages and conducted under the direction of the Sunday School Director for the study of God's Word. Sunday School is to be primarily conducted each Sunday morning.

The task of the Sunday School shall be to teach the Biblical revelation; lead in reaching all prospects for the church; lead all church members to worship, witness, learn, and minister daily; provide and interpret information regarding the work of the church and the denomination.

Section 3 — Discipleship Church Training

Discipleship training classes shall meet as the Church directs. There shall be a Church Training Department, divided into departments for all ages and conducted under the direction of a general director. Training Union is to be conducted each Sunday evening. The Training Union shall serve as the training organization of the church.

The tasks of Discipleship Training of the Training Union shall be to teach systematic theology, Christian history, Christian ethics, and church policy and organization; give orientation to new church members; train all church members to worship, witness, learn, and minister daily, train leaders for the church and denomination; discover, recruit, and train potential leaders; provide for specialized training; provide organization and leadership for special projects of the church and the denomination.

Section 4 - Women's Missionary Union

There shall be a Woman's Missionary Union with such officers and such forms of organization as needed. There shall be Women's Missionary Union with officers and organizations as needed. This program shall be directed led by a director who shall be elected annually by the church. The tasks of the Woman's Missionary Union shall be to teach missions; lead persons to participate in missions; provide organization and leadership for special mission projects of the church; provide and interpret information regarding the work of the church and the denomination.

Section 5 - Baptist Men's Organization

There shall be a Baptist Men's Organization to include made up of such standard organizations, including Royal Ambassadors, as needed. This program shall be directed led by a director who shall be elected annually by the church. The tasks are to teach missions; lead all men, young men, and boys to participate in mission activities; provide organization and leadership for special projects of the church; provide and interpret information regarding the work of the church and the denomination.

Section 6 - Church Music

There shall be a church music program under the guidance of the music director. Such officers and/or organizations shall be included as needed. The music tasks shall be to teach music and harmony, provide music and musicians for the congregational services and the organizations of the church; lead persons to participate in Psalms, hymns and new songs, singing, train persons to lead, sing, and play music; provide organization and leadership for special projects of the church. The director is to direct the choir or choirs in public singing and practice, and is to cooperate with the pastor and other church leaders in the selection of suitable music and the devising of appropriate musical programs for all organizations where such services are needed.

The music director shall be permitted to hold two one-week revival meetings (only one Sunday per week) or one two-week revival outside the church per year. The music director shall also receive two-weeks' vacation with pay.